

WILTWYCK QUILTERS' GUILD NEWSLETTER

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NEXT GUILD MEETING

SATURDAY, MAY 19, 2012

GRACE COMMUNITY CHURCH – 10:00 A.M.

9:30 A.M. FOR COFFEE, TEA AND SNACKS

Items to bring for the May meeting:

- ❖ **Name Tag (wear it and get a raffle ticket)**
- ❖ **Show and Tell items**
- ❖ **Fat Quarter Raffle**
- ❖ **Completed Raffle Block**
- ❖ **Completed Community Service Items**
- ❖ **Fat Quarters for Raffle Basket**
- ❖ **Refreshments for the hospitality table**

TREATS ❖ TREATS

All members are asked to bring a snack to the monthly meeting. The Hospitality Schedule is as follows according to the first letter of your last name:

May E,F,R June G,H

Please note the above schedule as it is not in a strict alphabetical order.



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The workshops with Kari Carr were both very good; she's a great teacher! I have the "Beauty Bright" done and the larger one from the Friday workshop not done. Maybe for the October Quilt Show. Do you have one done for the "Show"? Ticket are out and now is the time to get them sold.

Gloria and I have come up with a different block for the June meeting, still using the 2 1/2" dark and medium colored strips. Also need 2 1/2" white or cream. There will be more on this later. Anita

BOARD QUILT SHOW	REGULAR MEETING	COMM. SERVICE
MAY 6/12 BD	MAY 19/12	MAY 23/12
JUNE 10/12-QS	JUNE 16/12	JUNE 20/12
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WILTWYCK QUILTERS' GUILD
NEWSLETTER

The Wiltwyck Quilters' Guild is a non-profit organization. The purpose of this organization shall be to preserve the tradition and the history of quilting, as well as to foster awareness and receptivity to create innovation in the art, to promote and sponsor interest and appreciation in all areas of quilting among our members and the general public, and to promulgate friendship and the exchange of ideas.

The newsletter is published monthly, except for July & August. The subscription fee is included in the annual \$25 Guild membership dues. Articles are due the following Friday after the Guild meeting, and may be e-mailed. In an emergency, phoned in to the editor. All contributions are welcome. *If you submit an article be sure you let me know when to change it or remove it.*

Thank You- Sharon Conlon

MEMBERSHIP NOTES

Please submit your renewal form for the 2012-2013 year on or before the May 19th meeting to be eligible for a free membership.

New member to our Guild:

Rhonda L. Johnson

25 Rogers St.

Kingston NY 331-2635

rhondal_johnson@excite.com

Please welcome her when you see her at our next meeting.

Remember to wear your name tag to get a free raffle ticket.

We are still collecting 2 1/2 inch strips for our community sewing in June.

COMMUNITY SEW

Don't forget that Guild members meet at the Elks Club on Hurley Avenue in Kingston, NY the Wednesday after a Guild meeting at 9:00 a.m. We hope to see you there.

PRESIDENT	ANITA ROWELL
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COMMITTEE HEADS

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HOSPITALITY	MARQUITA RICH
LIBRARIAN	MARY MCLAUGHLIN
*MEMBERSHIP	GLORIA FRENZA
*NEWSLETTER	SHARON CONLON
*PROGRAM	SHIRLEY SWENSON
PUBLICITY	JACKIE SITTNER
*QUILT SHOW	LYNNE DAVIDSON
RAFFLE TABLE	REGINA PACKARD
WEB MASTER	
*VOTING COMMITTEE MEMBERS	

FYI FYI

If you have any information “for the good of the Guild” you may e-mail Carol Bell, our corresponding secretary (wqguild@aol.com). Carol would also like to be notified of any member who is sick or in the hospital, or a family member who has passed away. She will send out the appropriate card for the Guild. This information will also be on the Guild web site.

FAT QUARTER RAFFLE

Members wishing to participate may do so any month or every month. You do not need to sign up. Just join in when you desire. Participants should bring nice, clean fat quarters representative of that month's theme.

Have fun! Susan Gray

May Dots, circles, round designs of any kind
June Sewing related fabrics, cheaters, spools, etc.

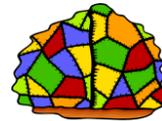


BONNIE HUNTER WORKSHOP IS FULL

BASKET OF FAT QUARTERS

Thanks to the Guild members who have donated FQ's. If you haven't donated and wish to do so, you can turn in your FQ's in May or June. There will be a basket on one of the tables or you can give FQ's directly to Liz Edgar at the meetings.

Any questions, contact Liz Edgar:
845-384-6150 or lizedgar90@earthlink.net
Thanks, Liz



BLOCKS OF THE MONTH

Won by Denise Giardullo
Marion Warnecke



PROGRAM NEWS

SPRING – FALL 2012 CALENDAR

May 4 (Friday) – Cathedral Stars workshop with Bonnie Hunter
May 19 – Carol Gilham-Jones lecture and workshop: Tile Quilt Revival
June 16 – Year-end events and community service sewing
September 8 (one week early) Wiltwyck's 35th Anniversary Celebration!!!!
October 6 and 7 (Friday & Saturday) Wiltwyck Quilt Show at Rondout Valley Middle School, Accord
October 20 – Recap of Quilt Show
November 17 – To be determined
December 8 – Holiday Party

CAROL GILHAM-JONES VISITING IN MAY

Carol hails from Lawrence, Kansas, and is a good friend of Barbara Brackman. Carol's quilts have appeared in numerous publications (at least eight times in Quilter's Newsletter). Her book, Tile Quilt Revival: Reinventing a Forgotten Form, written with Bobbi Finley, was published in 2010. Carol occasionally writes about tile quilts at carolgilhamjones.blogspot.com

What are tile quilts? In the last third of the 19th century, there was a distinctive genre of appliqué quilts made with narrow lines of background fabric showing between the appliquéd pieces. Because the narrow lines of background fabric resemble "grout" and the appliquéd pieces "tiles," these quilts are generally called tile quilts.

"Tile Quilts: Then and Now" Lecture and Trunk Show of Contemporary Tile Quilts: Saturday, May 19, at Grace Church
Carol will tell us all about tile quilts, from their beginning in the 19th century to modern times, and she'll share a wonderful selection of contemporary tile quilts.

Half- Day " Making a Tile Quilt Block" Workshop: Saturday, May 19, at Grace Church
Limit: 20 students. Cost: \$25 for Wiltwyck members (\$30 for non-members).

No sewing machines are required. There are only a few openings left. In this hand appliqué workshop, you'll begin your own tile quilt with a 10-15" block that you'll prepare and begin to stitch. Emphasis will be on how a tile quilt differs from other types of appliqué and how to get started making a tile quilt rather than on how to appliqué. Fusing and machine appliqué will be touched on, in addition to hand appliqué, if there is an interest. Carol will also discuss fabric

choices and the use of large-scale contemporary prints in updating the traditional tile quilt form.

You'll learn the block-preparation method, a simple, direct way of working from a line-drawing pattern. This eliminates the usual hand-appliqué concerns of seam allowances, reversing images, and placement on the background. Carol will provide a pattern, or you can use a line drawing of your choice.

SIGNING UP FOR WILTWYCK- SPONSORED WORKSHOPS:

Please make out a check to Wiltwyck Quilters' Guild for the fee listed for the workshop. Give your check to Shirley Swenson, or mail it to her at 402 Slate Quarry Road, Rhinebeck, NY 12572 (845-876-2256) along with a self-addressed, stamped envelope for a copy of the supply list. Please include the name of the workshop on the check.

Cancellation Policy: If the Guild cancels a workshop, the workshop fee will be refunded. A waiting list will be maintained if sufficient interest in a workshop exists. If an individual cannot attend the workshop, contact the coordinator to see if there is a waiting list. If possible, wait-listed members will be contacted in the order of sign-up to substitute; however, there is no guarantee that your space can be refunded.



**WILTWYCK QUILTERS' GUILD
BUSINESS MEETING
March 17, 2012**

Meeting was called to order at 10:05 a.m.

Minutes of the January / February 2012 meeting were accepted by Ellen Kapila and Marquita Rich, as printed in the March Newsletter.

Treasurer: Sarah Kessenich reported that the balance is \$16,024.19; it was accepted by Joan Polakoff and Dolly Wodin. The application for NYS tax exempt status has been completed and we are awaiting the issuance of our Tax Number.

Membership: Gloria Frenza said that there were 70 members and one new member in attendance.

Program: Shirley Swenson announced that Ricky Tims can be viewed for free this weekend by going on the web site www.thequiltshow.com.

Quilt Show: Post cards for the raffle quilt are being printed and bookmarks will be available at the April meeting.

Web Site: Lynne Davidson announced that the website will go "live" on March 18, 2012. She suggested that it would be nice if we had Guild History and photos on the website. Traffic to our site indicates that many from outside the area are viewing it and the membership form and newsletter will be put on the website.

Librarian: Mary McLaughlin announced that the new closet will be here soon and that will make all the library books more easily available to the members.

Old Business

The banner the Guild designed and made for the Grace Church is now hanging in the entrance lobby and it looks very nice

New Business

The celebration of our Guild's beginning will occur this September. The Guild was started on September 18, 1977, and therefore, this is our 35th year. Hilda Pleva, a charter member and now a former member, has offered to gather some history from the very beginning of our Guild for the celebration in September.

Angee Opdyke attended the meeting and spoke to the group and received a round of applause indicating how very happy the members are that she is doing better and we wished her the best in her fight with the cancer.

Meeting Adjourned at 10:35 AM by Marquita Rich and Lesley Gray.

**Respectfully submitted,
Dagmar Yaddow, Rec. Sec'y**



**WARWICK VALLEY QUILTERS' GUILD
STARS OF THE VALLEY**

Saturday, May 19, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Sunday, May 20, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Sanfordville Elementary School-

144 Sanfordville Rd., Warwick NY

**Raffles-Free Quilt Lectures-Door Prizes-
Quilters' Café & more**



THUMBSTALL QUILT GUILD

THE THREAD CONNECTION

Friday, July 13 – Sunday, July, 15, 2012

Skaneateles HS

40 E. Elizabeth St., Skaneateles NY

Vendors-Silent Auction-Quilt Raffle & more

JOIN THE COMMITTEE FOR WILTWYCK'S 35TH ANNIVERSARY

We've verified that the Wiltwyck Quilters' Guild celebrated their 25th anniversary in September, 2002, so we're forming a committee to organize our 35th anniversary, to be celebrated on Saturday, September 8, 2012, at Grace Community Church. Note that this is the second Saturday, a week earlier than usual because of scheduling at the church.

We're looking for ideas, committee members, and a chairperson or co-chairs. Won't you please help? I'd especially like some of the older members to join the committee. Please contact Shirley Swenson to volunteer. We'll have an organizational meeting before our May 19th meeting.

QUILTS IN THE VALLEY * 2012 QUILT SHOW NEWS*****

Lynne Davidson has taken over the role as Quilt Show chair, with a lot of support from our excellent committee chairs she will have no trouble. We have decided not to run the silent auction but are still keen to have input on the dream basket theme.

WEBSITE NEWS

**We have been working away to expand the Guild website. Please forward to Lynne Davidson any thoughts or input to make the revised website even better. It would be a good idea to have a piece by anyone who considers themselves as young or young-at-heart so that we can demonstrate to any potential Guild members that, alongside all the great skills and history that we have, we also have fresh, modern ideas as well. I think it would be great to have links to Guild member blogs - I have put mine there as an example; please send me the address of your blogs if you have them.
Lynne ldavid1235@aol.com**

2012 QUILT SHOW COMMITTEE CHAIRS

**Quilt Show Chair - Lynne Davidson
Admissions/Door Prizes - Anita Rowell
Challenge Block/Display - Peggy Cahill, Mary McLaughlin
Decorations - ???
Demonstrations - Barbara Repko, Peggy Cahill
Fabric Raffle Basket - Liz Edgar
Food Concession - Darlene Breitenstein
Group/Tour - Gloria Frenza
Guild Boutique - Sam Conlon, Pat Williams
Insurance/Ribbons - Pat Clark
Judging - Dagmar Yaddow
Membership - Gloria Frenza
Program - Janet Iatridis
Publicity - Lesley Gray, Lynne Davidson
Raffle Quilt Creation - Lesley Gray, Debbie Martin
Baskets - Regina Packard
Raffle Quilt Machine Quilted - Marquita Rich
Raffle Quilt Ticket Sales - Doreen Sangaline, Judy Turco
Quilt Check In - Dagmar Yaddow
Quilt Show Registration - Lois Long
Road Signage - Vicki Lienau
Quilt Labels - Debbie Martin
Quilt Show Setup/Hanging - Joyce Luby, Mary McLaughlin, Connie Brewer
Quilt Show Take Down - Carol Kocis
Treasurer - Sarah Kessenich
Vendors - Julie Mainier
Wearables - Mary McLaughlin
White Glove - Shirley Swenson, Adele Rose, Vesta Lawless
Doll Exhibit - Denise Giardullo & Lexi Langley**

**Any questions or thoughts, please e-mail me.
Lynne**



Early Membership Renewal

Renew **on or before** the May 19, 2012 meeting and you will be eligible to win a free membership for the year.

Send your dues (\$25.00), check made payable to **Wiltwyck Quilters Guild**, to Gloria Frenza, 156 Krum Rd., Kerhonkson, NY, 12446.

Enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope if you would like to have your membership card mailed, or you can pick up your 2012-2013 membership card at the Guild meeting on September 8.

* Name _____

* Address _____

* City _____ *State/Zip _____

*Phone _____

***E-Mail** _____

(If information is not listed , e-mail address will be dropped.)

We are encouraging the use of e-mail to reduce printing and mailing costs.

*How would you like to receive your newsletter?

Check one:

_____ US Postal Mail

_____ E-Mail -website www.wiltwyckquilters.org

_____ Do not wish to receive

* **Required fields**

Are you a member of the National Quilting Association? _____

What is your ID# _____ Expiration Date _____

Membership News

**** A motion was passed to make membership free to persons over the age of 75 :**

If this applies to you, you still need to send this renewal form back, checking the appropriate line, to insure you will continue receiving your newsletter.

_____ Yes, I am over the age of 75.

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